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2. The vehicles were unloaded from a ship at the port of Varna.
3. They are described as diesel powered armored cars with rubber tired wheels; their armament includes a cannon of unspecified size. The cars are not designed for carrying cargo.
4. These vehicles are reportedly capable of getting 45 miles per gallon of fuel oil because of some new type of carburetor

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5. it is reasonable to believe that, if the Soviets are sending vehicles of this type (LKV armored trucks and PLW armored cars) to Bulgaria where there are "officially" no Soviet troops, such vehicles are also being supplied to Hungary and Rumania where definite Soviet units are stationed.

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the ship carrying these vehicles
docked at Constanta in Rumania before its arrival at Varna.

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